

1848

S. Africa

Transvaal annexed as
Orange River Sovereignty. Smith
defeats Pretorius at Battle of
BOOM PLATZ

1848

Wisconsin became a State

Jan 1848

Joseph Jenkins Roberts,
Liberia's first elected president
was inaugurated into office

Feb 26, 1848

The Second French Republic
was proclaimed

Feb 23, 1848

The sixth president of the U.S.,
John Quincy Adams, died
of a stroke at age 80

Feb 2, 1848

The Treaty of Guadalupe
Hidalgo, ending the Mexican
War, was signed.

Jan 24, 1848

James W. Marshall discovered a gold nugget at Sutter's Mill in northern California, a discovery that led to the gold rush of '49.

1848

Mexico ceded California to
the U.S.

Gold was discovered at
Sutter's mill, Calif.

California population was
14,000 Anglo and Hispanics

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Aug 19, 1848

The New York Herald reported the
discovery of gold in California

Aug 14, 1848

The Oregon Territory was established

August 9, 1848

The Free-Soil Party nominated
Martin Van Buren for president
at its convention in Buffalo, N.Y.

June 7, 1848

French postimpressionist painter
Paul Gauguin was born in
Paris.

July 19, 1848

A premier women's rights
convention convened in Seneca
Falls, N. Y.

May 29, 1848

Wisconsin became the 30th state
of the Union.

Feb. 23, 1848

The 6th Pres. of U.S., John
Quincy Adams died of stroke
at age 80.

1848 → 1916

Holy Roman Emperor Francis
Joseph I of Austria ruled for
68 yrs from 1848 → 1916.